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ANNEXATION BENEFITS A TALE OF TWO CITIES

West Toronto Deputation Urge
That a Greater City Will Be a
Betterment for Everybody.

The greater Toronto idea got a big boost yesterday morning when a large deputation from West Toronto conferred with the board of control in respect to the annexation of that suburb of Toronto.

The Junction delegates were unanimous for union. The board of control listened to the proposals submitted by Mayor Baird and with one exception were prepared to vote in favor of an annexation; but Controller Spence demanded more information. The assumption of the debt of the smaller city loomed up large before his eyes, and he submitted a proposition to appoint the Mayor, Corporation Councils, Fullerton and City Treasurer Coady to confer with officials of West Toronto as to terms.

Controller Hooker, Controller Ward and the mayor were prepared to vote on the question of annexation right away, but Mr. Spence's resolution was agreed to, the mayor stating that he would endeavor to get a report ready this week to submit to the board. Mayor Baird was accompanied by Councillors Armstrong, Sheppard, Main, Maher and Howell. City Solicitor A. J. Anderson and the following citizens of West Toronto: R. L. McCormack, George Heintzman, Rev. D. Pidgeon, James Armstrong, Col. W. P. Moore, Samuel Ryding, John T. Moore, A. M. Wilson and several others.

Mayor Baird lucidly presented the views of the deputation. He said this was not the first time that West Toronto had come here; but they looked at the question of annexation from a broader standpoint than in the past. It was true that a few of their citizens looked upon union as a method of reducing their taxation and it was also true that there were in Toronto "Little Englanders" who believed that the interests of the city would be imperiled by taking in more land. There were broader issues, however. Greater Toronto, taking in all the district west to the Township of Etobicoke and east to Scarborough, was the ideal that many had in view. He had come not altogether in the interest of West Toronto, but in the interest of Toronto as well. Mayor Baird proceeded to say that there were some suggestions which ought to be granted by the city. He was opposed to the idea that Ward Six should be extended to take in the whole of West Toronto. The western suburb has a population of about 12,000, but if outlying districts south of St. Clair-avenue were taken in there would be an additional population of 30,000. Mayor Baird thought there would be no difficulty about the readjustment of the ward boundaries to make an extra ward.

Assume the Debt.
It would be expected that the greater city would assume the debt. This was not burdensome. The debt was about a million dollars, but they had four good schools with another building, a collegiate institute, waterworks, sewerage and electric lighting. The town had no sinking fund, and the rate of interest on the debentures for 35 years was 3.5 per cent.

"The debentures would be worth 30 per cent. more if assumed by Toronto," suggested Mayor Oliver.

Mayor Baird said the fire department required additional equipment. The tax rate was 26 mills, but one-half the cost of local improvements was paid for out of the general taxes. The manufacturers are all in favor of annexation.

"They would like to come in because their taxes would be less when the exemption expired," suggested Controller Spence.

Mayor Baird said the greater city was preparing to extend its waterworks system on a larger scale than

would be necessary if West Toronto were not taken in.

Local Option.
Local option did not concern Toronto, but it had been twice carried in West Toronto, and at the end of the three year period it might be necessary to take another vote. His idea was that the vote should be taken in the same district which had carried it.

"That would be for the legislature," suggested Mayor Oliver.

Mayor Baird said the next point was that the West Toronto officials should be taken over by the city, and Mayor Oliver agreed that this would be done as far as possible.

In reply to a question Mayor Baird said the city had considerable tax sale lands which were regarded as a good asset. He suggested that the old stock yards, which were really a detriment to the city, should be wiped out and the union market as a municipal enterprise.

Mayor Baird referred to the suburban railway franchise, which he said expired concurrently with the Toronto railway franchise.

"If annexation is not brought about now you may have a council out next year that are not as stiff as we are in resisting the franchise," he warned.

This was the most powerful argument presented by Mayor Baird in the opinion of Controller Spence.

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LET GOVERNMENT CONTROL MOVEMENT OF HARVESTERS

C. B. Foster, D.P.A. of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says the company will bring back every harvester who has honestly tried to get work, but he suggests that next year the government should control the distribution of harvesters west of Winnipeg.

TIPS ON TIPPING.

The Canadian school teachers who contemplate participating in the trip to Great Britain are warned in a circular by Alfred Moseley, who is engineering the trip, that tipping is more than here, and is necessary to avoid inconvenience. He explains, however, that a sixpence or "fourpenny bit" will usually work the trick as successfully as coins of higher value.

Fish and Milk Didn't Agree.
Joseph Altshuler was charged in the afternoon court with selling milk without a permit at 123 Elizabeth-street.

"He keeps the milk in a refrigerator together with strong butter, cheese and fish," said Health Inspector Wilson. "The bylaw says they must be kept separate."

Defendant pleaded that he had just started business and didn't know, and Daniel Lamb, J.P., gave him another chance.

Niagara Navigation Company.
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Piano Sale Saturday.
With the summer season closed the piano warehouses throughout the city will be open from this on Saturday afternoon. The old firm of Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 King-street west, will use the occasion for a special sale of slightly used square and upright pianos at remarkable bargain prices, and on easy terms.

A Welland special says: The Liberals of Haldimand County were to-day notified that the Hon. R. Harcourt would not accept the nomination for the commons. A second convention will be held a week from Saturday.

T. J. Boland, fined in the police court Tuesday for oversteering his auto, was before the same tribunal again yesterday for the same offence earlier in the same night. He was remanded for sentence.

York County and Suburbs

World subscribers in the City of West Toronto are requested to register complaints of carelessness or late delivery with the World Branch Office, 22 Dundas-street East, West Toronto, or the World Office, 35 Yonge-street, Toronto. Intending advertisers may also transact business at the West Toronto Office.

WEST TORONTO IS ALL BUT MERGED IN CITY

Mayor Looks for Speedy Consumption—Breezy Odds and Ends From York County.

tically assured, it will be interesting to watch the manner in which the executive committee to-morrow evening will deal with the proposed extension of the Suburban Railway Company's lines down thru Swansea, provided the matter is brought up for discussion.

Mayor Baird, relieved of the burden of the annexation question, went to the exhibition to-night to forget the cares of state. He expressed himself as confident that annexation would take place about the new year, but admitted that there were a lot of minor details to be settled. In the meantime, which will require a lot of attention.

In spite of the business depression which in other towns and cities has had such a serious effect on the building trade during the past season, houses in West Toronto are springing up in every direction. Especially is this noticeable in centrally located districts. The Keele estate, which two years ago was only pasture land, is now dotted with houses, no less than 75, ranging in value from \$3000 to \$4000, having been erected. Two fine new houses on Keele-street, just completed are already sold. One is owned by John Marr, and is worth about \$4200. Mr. Marr is in Scotland at present, but so eagerly was his property sought after that his representative here decided to let it go. Archie McGill has just built a new house on Keele-street, a little to the south of Mr. Marr's property. Mr. McGill is building another house right away. Mr. Baldwin has just completed two houses on Annette-street, while one is partly built at the corner of May-street and Annette-street. There are also several new houses being built on May-street, south of Annette.

The most recent permits granted by Building Inspector Leigh are: A pair of semi-detached brick veneer dwellings at 7 and 9 Bradd-street, cost \$3000; William Harris, solid brick veneer store, 245 North York-street, cost \$4400; Thos. Pearson, brick veneer store, 245 North York-street, cost \$3000; E. Shuttleworth, solid brick store and dwelling at 111 East Dundas-street, cost \$3000.

The death occurred this morning of John Nelson Pearson of 44 Western-avenue, aged 40 years. Deceased who had been sick for eight months, leaves a wife and seven children. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2.30 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery.

"Charlie" Piggott has resumed his duties at No. 1 fire hall, after a well-merited two weeks' vacation.

Connolly left to-day for his holidays. He will visit Detroit and other points in Michigan.

EARLSCOURT.

Now it's Earlscourt that wants to come in.

EARLSCOURT. Sept. 2.—Since West Toronto wants annexation, the Earlscourt district, the citizens have been thinking, especially since the big fire at the Union Stock Yards. They are now talking water supply, fire protection, sewage disposal, police protection, school accommodation, present thirteen mills on the dollar for accommodation and have come to the conclusion that the district might as well be annexed to Toronto first as last, and are moving in that direction. Petitions for annexation are in circulation and the ratepayers of Earlscourt held a mass meeting on Monday, Sept. 14, to discuss the matter thoroughly.

BIG YEAR FOR CORN.

Dry Weather May Influence the Price of Milk.

The long hot, dry spell through York County is having a somewhat injurious effect upon the pasture lands and short grass, is the fact that on cattle the flies are more annoying than for years. This all has effect upon the flow of milk, and will undoubtedly at the annual meeting of the Toronto Milk

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Producers' Association on Monday next have the effect of maintaining the present high prices to the retail trade, and the public in general. The slight rainfall of Tuesday night had the effect of laying the dust on the country roads, but had no appreciable influence in softening the land, and enabling the farmers to get on with their plowing. This will have the effect of lessening the area sown to wheat.

The one big crop in York County this year will be fodder corn, which will equal, if not surpass, the best in the history of the county.

DOVERCOURT.

Local Merchants' Picnicking as to Coming Winter.

DOVERCOURT. Sept. 2.—Rev. E. Vesey of St. Edmund's Anglican Church, who has had a month's vacation will occupy his own pulpit again next Sunday.

The merchants of this district predict a hard winter, harder, in fact, than last. They say that this time last year there was more money in circulation than at present.

WYCHWOOD.

Odds and Ends of News From the Northwestern Suburb.

WYCHWOOD. Sept. 2.—Rev. W. A. McEggart officiated at a pretty house wedding last night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ogg, ter, Miss Christine McCullough was married to Alfred Edward Carter of Toronto, a bride's sister. Miss Bessie, acted as bridesmaid, and the groom was assisted by Harry Backus, Mr. and Mrs. Carter will leave for their trip west, and on their return will reside at No. 4 Dupont-street, in the city.

Mr. Chandler will sing in Zion Methodist Church on Sunday.

The Billings of Zion Methodist Church has been in charge of J. C. Follett of Toronto during the absence of Mrs. R. J. Fleming.

NORTH TORONTO.

Town Solicitor Will Take Up Metropolitan Matters.

NORTH TORONTO. Sept. 2.—J. Brennan has leased the Davisville Hotel for a number of years. The hotel will be run as a boarding house and barber shop.

The Deer Park public school will reopen to-morrow (Thursday) after the summer vacation. The school will have an attendance of over one hundred.

Sept. 8th. T. A. Gibson will apply to the Railway Commission for a hearing re the town's grievances in connection with Metropolitan Railway matters.

Mrs. Hiscok and daughter of Kingston are the guests of Mrs. G. McCormack, Bedford Park.

EX-WARDEN IS IMPROVING.

Ex-Warden Henry Duncan of York Township was in the city yesterday for a short time. While Mr. Duncan's health is greatly improved, it is yet far from being as good as his host of friends could desire.

NEWMARKET.

Big List of Donors, and Big Government Grant to Fair.

NEWMARKET. Sept. 2.—The Newmarket high school opened yesterday with an attendance of over one hundred.

The government grant to the North York Fair this year is \$592, the largest in the history of the fair. The fair subscriptions are infinitely larger than in preceding years, and altogether it looks as though the fair will be a memorable event.

WOODBRIDGE.

Popular Young Woodbridge Couple Wedded Yesterday.

WOODBRIDGE. Sept. 2.—(Special.)—A quiet wedding took place here to-day when J. J. Hallett, manager of the local branch of the Crown Bank, was united in marriage to Edna Barla, daughter of Henry Schmidt of this town. The bride and groom were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, at 111 East Dundas-street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Hallett.

The bride was attired in a gown of navy blue tulle, and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The groom wore a tuxedo and carried a sword. The ceremony was a simple one, and the bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and a few friends.

RAILROAD BOARD FIX DATE.

An application for the annexation of a portion of the Baldwin estate at Deer Park to the city has been made to the railway board, and the latter has fixed Sept. 14 as the date of hearing the same.

MONEY IN C. C. WHEELS.

Every Rider at Exhibition Has a String on Prize.

The largest list of prizes ever given for any annual athletic event held in Toronto in recent years are on display in the Canada Cycle and Motor Co.'s windows at 151 Bay-street. The prizes are donated to the bicycle meet to be held at the exhibition on the last day, Saturday, Sept. 12. The contributors to the exhibition management are the Canada Cycle and Motor Co. Besides the contributions for each event the C. C. Company is donating three prizes, a first, second and third, to the riders who make the highest number of points off the day's program on Canada Cycle bicycles.

All entries must be in by Sept. 5. Blanks may be obtained from A. E. Treadgold, secretary of the race committee, at 151 Bay-street.

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1000 Boys' Windsor Ties, all pure silk, spots, checks, plaids and plain colors. Regular 25c and 35c. Friday.....

10c.

150 Men's Wool Sweaters, the new button collar kind, in navy, black, brown and grey, sizes 34 to 42. Regular \$1.50. Friday.....

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Men's Imported English Flannel Pyjamas, turn-down collar, good variety of stripes, in mauve, pink, blue and grey, sizes 34 to 42. Regular \$1.50. Friday, suit.....

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Men's and Women's Good Strong Mercerized Umbrellas, steel frames, handles of all styles. Some of the men's are self-opening style. Worth regularly \$1.00. Friday, each.....

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In Wall Paper Department.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL STAFF.

Appointments Made by Management Committee Yesterday Afternoon.

Trustee Kent presided at the meeting of the management committee of the education board yesterday afternoon.

The staff for the new northwest high school, which was recommended by Principal Cox, was appointed as follows:

Dr. J. F. Thompson and C. W. Horton from Harbord and A. E. Jewell, H. W. Irwin, Miss Blanche H. Ketcheson, Thos. Kennedy of the King Edward annex.

R. Wightman was transferred from Jarvis-street to Harbord, to take the place previously occupied by Principal Cox.

The property committee followed, Trustee Rawlinson presiding. The question of having the northwest high school meet at Borden-street instead of at the King Edward school was decided by 2 to 2 in favor of King Edward school. It will be revived at the board meeting to-night.

LAND BOUNTY APPLICATIONS.

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—The militia department has issued the forms of application for the land bounties under the act of last session. The forms can be obtained from the militia department or from any district officer commanding.

Funeral To-Day.

The funeral of Perivaldo de Mercado, killed by a fall, will take place to-day from P. W. Matthews' rooms to St. James' Cemetery. His family in the West Indies cabled that it would be advisable owing to his mangled condition, to have the interment here.

Two Widows After It.

The two widows of Dr. Adland Orshynatsek, one his divorced wife, lay claim to his estate of "The Pines" at Deseronto, in which the Mohawk Indians are also interested.

The Indian department at Ottawa will have an investigation.

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